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1. DEPT APPRECIATES EMBASSY'S COMMENTS IN REFTEL ON DEALING WITH CHILE QUESTION IN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION (HRC) AND, AS WE PREPARE FOR FORTHCOMING SESSION, WE WILL BEAR THEM IN MIND. AD HOC WORKING GROUP WILL MEET IN GENEVA BEGINNING JANUARY 17 TO PREPARE UPDATED REPORT, WHICH IS NOT EXPECTED TO BE DISTRIBUTED UNTIL MID-FEBRUARY.

2. WE AGREE THAT IMPORTANT FACTOR TO BE DEALT WITH IS THE BITTERNESS ENGENDERED BY CHILE'S REFUSAL TO ADMIT THE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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WORKING GROUP IN 1975. ALTHOUGH MANDATE OF WORKING GROUP EXPIRES WITH THIS SESSION OF HRC, IT IS PRACTICALLY CERTAIN IT WILL BE EXTENDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH REQUEST IN RESOLUTION ON CHILE ADOPTED AT 31ST GA THAT MANDATE OF WORKING GROUP, AS PRESENTLY CONSTITUTED, BE EXTENDED FOR ANOTHER YEAR. UNTIL THAT IS DONE, HOWEVER, AND UNTIL WE HAVE CHANCE TO ASSESS CURRENT ATTITUDES AS THEY EMERGE

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DURING HRC SESSION TO RECENT IMPROVEMENTS IN HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION IN CHILE, IT WOULD BE PREMATURE TO EXPLORE POSSIBILITY OF WORKING GROUP VISIT. AFTER THE CHILE

DEBATE, ASSUMING THE CLIMATE IS AT ALL PROPITIOUS, IT MAY THEN BE OPPORTUNE TO TAKE UP QUESTION WITH BOTH THE GOC AND THE WORKING GROUP CHAIRMAN WHETHER NEGOTIATIONS FOR A VISIT BY WORKING GROUP MIGHT NOT BE REVIVED.

3. DEPARTMENT WOULD WELCOME ANY ADDITIONAL COMMENTS OR VIEWS WHICH USUN OR GENEVA MAY WISH TO SUBMIT. ;
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